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MEDICINAL.

Pistol Practise.

is becoming more popular among women. The reason given is that a woman should know how to use the pistol for self protection. The theory should be carried farther. Where a woman is in danger from assault once she is in danger from disease every day of her life. Women have not only to run the risk of diseases which threaten husband, brother, and son, but they have also to guard against diseases which are peculiar to womanhood.

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only be printed in the paper as advertisements.

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phone Exchange. Advertisements, orders
for the paper, news of any information or
business may be sent by telephone.

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ALEXANDRIA, VA., FRIDAY EVENING, JULY 25, 1902.

DRY GOODS.

REDUCTION

IN

Lawn, Organies, Dimities

To close out remainder of stock.

Lawns

Regular price 15c, at 12c. Regular price
12c, at 10c.

Mercerized Zephyrs

Regular price 19c, to close out at 15c.

FULL LINE WHITE AND COLORED MADRAS, DUCK, LINEN SUIT- INGS, PERCALES, ETC.

DAILY LINE TO NORFOLK AND FORT
RESS MONROE.

HOUSE ROBBED BY A "MOURN- ER."

With bowed head, as though visited
by grief most poignant, a veiled woman
Monday afternoon sat through the
funeral services of Mrs. Douglas Rollins,
at 127 E street, northeast Washington.

At the close, by an offer of supposed
neighborly kindness, the woman secured
possession of the key to the dwelling,
and in the absence of the family ran-
sacked the house for all the valuables it
contained. It was shortly after 2 p. m.
that the funeral procession bearing the
remains of Mrs. Rollins to the Congressional
cemetery left the house. All of
the sorrowing friends and members of the
family occupied carriages in the cortège
and Underaker Tom Spurgeon was
momentarily left in charge. The duty
of locking the doors and then following
the procession had been delegated to him.
There were some few women remain-
ing when he turned, with key in hand,
to close the house. Tears were softly
falling and sobbing was faintly audible, and, though in a hurry,
it was with visible reluctance Mr. Spur-
geon turned toward the mourners. Before
he could address them a woman stepped
from one of the parlors, remarking:
"You are in haste to lock the house,
I see. If you will leave the key with me I will arrange the house before
the return of the family." As Mr.
Spurgeon hesitated, she added, "I am a
neighbor." Without further thought,
and in fact without even the slightest
suspicion, Mr. Spurgeon handed the
woman the key, stating at the time that
his man would be up soon to remove
chairs furnished for the funeral. He
requested of the woman that she let the
man in and she promised to do so.
When the members of the family returned
it was discovered that the house had
been robbed.

LINEMAN'S AWFUL PLIGHT.—J. C.
Anderson, a Western Union lineman,
was found by people on a passing trolley
car, suspended head downward from a
pole along the national pike, between
Clarysville and Frostburg, Md., yester-
day morning. Several passengers
almost fainted at the sight. Anderson's
foot had caught in the brace of a cross
arm at the top of the pole, and he was
dangling fifty feet in the air, while
blood was dripping from his nose and
mouth. A rope was fastened about his
body and thrown over the cross arm,
and by this means he was lowered, after
having been suspended ten minutes.
His arm was burned to the bone and his
leg was seriously burned, but he will
likely recover. The accident was caused
by Anderson touching a live wire run-
ning from Eckhardt to Hoffman Mine
on Western Union poles.

JOHN B. PADGETT,
General Manager.

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PANY (LIMITED).**

New Schedule in Effect April 1, 1902.

Leave Alexandria, week days, 5:50, 6:50,
7:30, 8:15, 9:15, 9:45, 10:45, 11:30 a. m., 12:30,
1:20, 2:20, 3:15, 4:15, 4:50, 5:45 and 6:30 p. m.
Leave Washington, week days, 6:10, 6:40,
7:30, 8:30, 9:00, 10:00, 10:30, 11:30 a. m., 12:30,
1:20, 2:20, 3:15, 4:15, 5:00, 5:30 and 6:30 p. m.
Leave Alexandria and Washington Sunday,
9:30, 10:30, 11:30 a. m., 12:30, 1:30, 2:30, 3:30,
4:30, 5:30 and 6:30 p. m.

JOHN B. PADGETT,
General Manager.

NEW ISSUE

—OF—

Alexandria City Bonds

For Sale.

The City Treasurer will receive sealed bids
for the new issue of Alexandria city bonds, or
for any portion thereof, up to and including Au-
gust 1, 1902.

The denominations of these bonds are as fol-
lows: Twenty bonds of one thousand (\$1,000)
dollars each; forty bonds of five hundred
(\$500) dollars each; one hundred bonds of one
hundred (\$100) dollars each, making a total
sum of fifty thousand (\$50,000) dollars.

These are four per cent bonds (4 per cent) con-
upon bonds bearing date on July 1, 1902, the
principal being payable January 1 and July 1
of each year, and the principal being payable
January 1, 1932, and are not taxable by the
city.

The issue of these bonds was authorized by
an act of the General Assembly of Virginia,
approved March 28, 1902, and all the require-
ments of this act have been fully and strictly
observed.

This should be addressed to THOMAS W.
MCNAUL, City Treasurer, Alexandria, Va.,
and should be marked "Bid for City Bonds."

All bids will be opened at 11 o'clock a. m.
on Monday, September 1, 1902, and the right
is reserved to reject any and all bids.

In making bids the accumulated interest
from July 1, 1902, should be taken into consider-
ation.

A certified check for 3 per cent of the par
value of the bonds shall be enclosed with each
bid, which sum shall be forfeited to the city
if the bid be had in this line.

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The SAME OLD STORY.

J. A. Kelly relates an experience

similar to that which has